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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure embodied in 37 CFR § 1.56, Applicants wish to formally bring to the attention of the Examiner the following references. These references are prior art documents cited in corresponding European, Russian, Japanese and Chinese applications. In the corresponding European application the following references have been cited: FR 2428287 (also published as GB 2023547 A) and DE 1953542.

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In the corresponding Russian application the following references have been cited: RU

94035753 (also published as U.S. Patent 5,590,507) and SU 1389671 (also published as U.S.

Patent 4,677,910).

In the corresponding Japanese application the following references have been cited: JP

2000-85095, JP 1-109504, JP 8-295004 (also published as U.S. Patent 6,019,046), JP 63-64748,

and JP 61-159160.

In the corresponding Chinese application the following reference has been cited: CN

1427774 (also published as U.S. 2006/0249040).

The following references have been cited in the corresponding PCT application: EP

0322301 (also published as U.S. 4,947,016) and WO 97/48555 (also published as U.S. 6,840,721

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Copies of the cited references are attached hereto, as wella s partial translations of JP

2000-85095; JP 1-109504; JP 63-64748; and JP 61-159160.

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